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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

AC ✓ AA: Patent No. GB 2 345 791 A, issued in Europe on 19.07.2000 to NEC Corporation, Class: H01L 21/768;
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AC ✓ AB: Patent No. WO 95/08840 A1, issued 30.03.1995 to The Government of the United States, Class: H01L
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U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

AC AA: Patent No. 5,604,059, Filed on August 15, 1994 and issued on February 18, 1997 to Ryo Imura et al.
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